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House Resolution 187

By: Representatives Rogers of the 26<sup>th</sup>, Fludd of the 66<sup>th</sup>, Shaw of the 176<sup>th</sup>, Williams of the 165<sup>th</sup>, Williams of the 4<sup>th</sup>, and others

## **A RESOLUTION**

- 1 Recognizing and commending the National Federation of Independent Business in Georgia;
- 2 and for other purposes.
- 3 WHEREAS, the National Federation of Independent Business (NFIB) is the nation's leading
- 4 small business advocacy association, with offices in Washington, D.C., and all 50 state
- 5 capitals; and
- 6 WHEREAS, founded in 1943 as a nonprofit, nonpartisan organization, NFIB gives small and
- 7 independent business owners a voice in shaping the public policy issues that affect their
- 8 businesses; and
- 9 WHEREAS, NFIB's powerful network of grassroots activists sends its views directly to state
- and federal lawmakers, thus playing a critical role in supporting America's free enterprise
- 11 system; and
- 12 WHEREAS, NFIB's mission is to promote and protect the right of its members to own,
- operate, and grow their businesses; and
- 14 WHEREAS, NFIB's Georgia membership represents a constituency of small businesses
- 15 reaching every corner of the state.
- 16 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
- 17 the members of this body recognize and commend the National Federation of Independent
- 18 Business in Georgia for its work in serving small independent businesses and for its
- members' continued commitment to enhancing the climate for free enterprise state wide.
- 20 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is hereby
- 21 authorized and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the Georgia
- chapter of the National Federation of Independent Business.